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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants :

Samuel C. Silverstein et al.

Serial No. :

09/658,698

Examiner: F.P. VanderVegt

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September 8, 2000

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For

A NOVEL METHOD FOR USING PHAGOCYTIC PARTICLES AND ATP RECEPTORS TO DELIVER ANTIGENS TO MHC CLASS I RECEPTORS TO INDUCE IMMUNITY AGAINST MICROBIAL PATHOGENS OR TUMORS OR TO SUPPRESS IMMUNITY

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August 8, 2005

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## NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER'S DECISION TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board from the Final Office Action mailed February 7, 2005 finally rejecting pending claims 1-16 in connection with the above-identified application.

Applicants are concurrently filing a Petition for a Three-Month Extension of Time. With a three-month extension of time, the subject application is pending on August 8, 2005. Accordingly, this Notice of Appeal is being timely filed.

The required fee for filing a Notice of Appeal under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(b) is TWO HUNDRED FIFTY DOLLARS (\$250.00), and a check for this amount is enclosed.

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No fee, other than the enclosed fee of \$250.00, is deemed necessary in connection with the filing of this Notice of Appeal. However, if any additional fee is required, authorization is hereby given to charge the amount of such fee to Deposit Account No. 03-3125.

Respectfully submitted,

certify hereby correspondence is being deposited this date with the U.S. Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to : Mail Stop AF, Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450, Alexandría, VA 22313-1450.

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